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| <p align="center">NATIONAL PHASE UTILITY APPLICATION</p> <p align="center">Transmittal to the (DO/EO/US) Under 35 USC 371</p> | <p>Attorney Docket No.: VANM262.001APC First Named Inventor: Agnes Dutron Int'l Application No.: PCT/BE2003/000152 Int'l Filing Date: September 11, 2003 Priority Date Claimed: September 11, 2002 Title: USE OF FAMILY 8 ENZYMES WITH XYLANOLYTIC ACTIVITY IN BAKING Express Mail Label No.: EV465551140US</p> |
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APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

- (X) This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. § 371.
- () This is an Express Request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. § 371(f)).
- (X) The U.S. has been elected (Article 31).
- (X) A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) has been communicated by the International Bureau.
- () PCT/IB/308 enclosed.
- (X) An English translation of the International Application as filed is not required.
- (X) Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3)) have not been and will not be made.
- () An English translation of claim amendments under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3)).
- () An Oath or Declaration signed by the inventors (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(4)).
- () An English translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(5)).

OTHER APPLICATION PARTS:

- (X) Preliminary Amendment in 6 pages.
- (X) Abstract in 1 page.

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- () Recordation form cover sheet and Assignment in total pages (cover sheet & assignment).
- () Power of Attorney form and copy of assignment in pages.
- () An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 equivalent listing references for consideration:
- () Listing references.
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- (X) Copy of PCT Publication WO 2004/023879 A1 with International Search Report.
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| (2) Non US IPEA / Noncompliant Claims | | 1633 (\$200) | | |
| Excess Claims | 23 - 20 = 3 | 1615 (\$50) | 3 x 50 = | \$150 |
| Excess Ind. Claims | 4 - 3 = 1 | 1614 (\$200) | 1 x 200 = | \$200 |
| Multiple Dep. Claim | | 1616 (\$360) | | \$0 |
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